

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please cancel Claims 24-30 and enter new Claims 31-40, as follows

1. - 30. (Cancelled)

31. (New) An image processing apparatus comprising:

an image reading unit adapted to read a document image;

a file creating unit adapted to create a file in a memory, wherein the file can be selected by a user for transmitting the image data in the file; and

a controller adapted to register the document image which was read by said image reading unit both as color image data and as monochrome image data in the file which was created by said file creating unit.

32. (New) An image processing apparatus according to Claim 31, further comprising a transmission unit adapted to transmit image data to a destination apparatus, wherein said controller reads out one of the color image data and the monochrome image data stored in the file, which is suitable for the destination apparatus, and controls said transmission unit to transmit the read out image data to the destination apparatus.

33. (New) An image processing apparatus according to Claim 31, further comprising a determining unit adapted to determine whether a document is one of a color document and a monochrome document, wherein, when said determining unit determines that the document is a color document, said controller registers the document image both as the color image data and as the monochrome image data in the file, and when said determining unit determines that the document is a monochrome document, said controller registers the document image as the monochrome image data in the file.

34. (New) An image processing apparatus according to Claim 31, wherein said image reading unit continuously reads image data for a plurality of documents.

35. (New) An image transmitting apparatus comprising:  
a memory adapted to store a document image as image data in a plurality of formats in a file;  
a file selection unit adapted for a user to select at least one of a plurality of files in said memory;  
a controller adapted to read out the image data, in a format suitable for a destination apparatus, from the file which was selected by a user through said file selection unit; and  
a transmitting unit adapted to transmit the image data read out by said controller to the destination apparatus.

36. (New) An image transmitting apparatus according to Claim 35, wherein said memory stores the document image both as color image data and monochrome image data in the file.

37. (New) A control method for an image processing apparatus which comprises an image reading unit adapted to read a document image, said method comprising the step of creating a file in a memory, wherein the file can be selected by a user for transmitting the image data in the file, and registering the document image which was read by said image reading unit both as color image data and as monochrome image data in the file.

38. (New) A control method for an image transmitting apparatus which comprises a memory adapted to store a document image as image data in a plurality of formats in a file, said method comprising the step of reading out, from the said file when selected by a user, the image data in a format suitable for a destination apparatus and transmitting the read out image data to the destination apparatus.

39. (New) A program storage medium storing a program for controlling an image processing apparatus which comprises an image reading unit adapted to read a document image, said program comprising code for creating a file in a memory, wherein the file can be selected by a user for transmitting the image data in the file, and code for

registering the document image which was read by said image reading unit both as color image data and as monochrome image data in the file.

40. (New) A program storage medium storing a program for controlling an image transmitting apparatus which comprises a memory adapted to store a document image as image data in a plurality of formats in a file, said program comprising code for reading out, from the said file when selected by a user, the image data in a format suitable for a destination apparatus and code for transmitting the read out image data to the destination apparatus.